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THEN WHY NOT RECRUIT SOME MORE?
WE'RE TRYING BUT IT DOESNT DO ANY GOOD WHEN NO ONE APPLIES
UH SIR? I'M SORRY, BUT WE'RE LOW ON STAFF
DAMMIT! WHERE ARE THOSE NEW CHAPTERS?!
ARE YOU FREAKING SERIOUS?
MANGA
FIST SLAM
WELL UH, YES ACTUALLY

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WHY ARE YOU LOOKING AT ME LIKE THAT?
?
IT'S KIND OF CREEPING ME OUT
STARE
THIS GUY'S WEIRD STILL MAYBE I SHOULD VOLUNTEER AND HELP SPEED UP THEIR RELEASES

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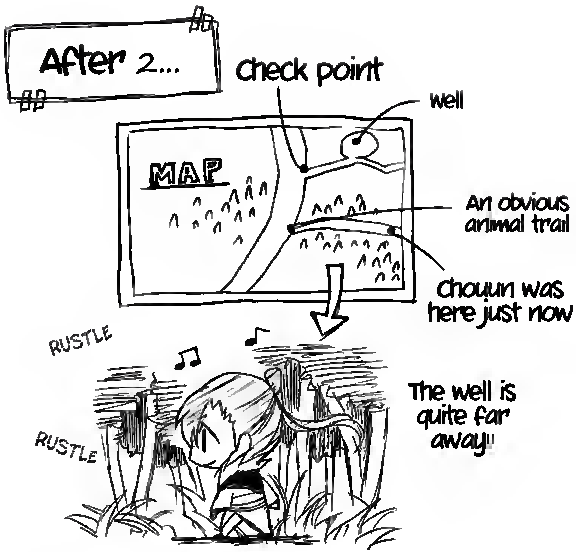
十二支演義


After 2...
Check point
well
MAP
An obvious animal trail
Chouun was here just now
RUSTLE
RUSTLE
The well is quite far away!!

ORDERS ARE FOR THE ENTIRE ARMY TO RETURN TO THE FRONT LINES IMMEDIATELY!!
THE YELLOW SCARVES FORCES LED BY CHOUKAKU ARE APPROACHING!

十三支演義

WAIT A MOMENT!
Glance
EVEN THOUGH THINGS HAVEN'T CALMED DOWN HERE YET.....
DON'T TALK BACK JULIZA! YOU MUST THINK OF AIDING GENERAL TOUTAKU FIRST. THE VILLAGE COMES SECOND!!
YOU BAS-TARD...
CHOUHI, STOP.
GRAB
Pass
... I UNDERSTAND. WHERE ARE WE REQUIRED TO GO?
ANEKI!?
ARE YOU SERIOUS!? FOR THEM?!
THE CAT TRIBE CANNOT CONTINUE THIS WAY.
I DON'T WANT ANYMORE VICTIMS LIKE THIS VILLAGE'S CHILD...
KAN'U...

THE CAT TRIBE PUNITIVE FORCE ENCAMP-MENT
REMAIN QUIETLY ON STANDBY UNTIL ORDERS ARE RECEIVED!
UNDER-STOOD!
FLOMP
WHAT'S UP WITH THAT!? FIRST THEY SAY "COME", BUT NOW THEY SAY "STAY".
KAN'U.
BEING ALERT ALL THE TIME MUST BE TIRING. WHY DON'T YOU GO OUTSIDE AND BREATHE SOME FRESH AIR?
WE'LL TAKE CARE OF RYUUBI-SAMA.
Move
Glance
BUT……
DON'T WORRY.
THANK YOU
FLOMP
RUSTLE
RUSTLE
LET HER BE ALONE FOR A WHILE.
ANEKI...

EVEN THOUGH THE CAT TRIBE HAS BEEN PUT IN PLACE SO EASILY...
SIGH...
BZZZ
BZZZ
WHY DO I HAVE TO BE IN THIS PLACE NO MATTER WHAT...
THAT'S RIGHT! IT OCCURRED TO ME THAT I HAVEN'T ENJOYED A MASSACRE IN A LONG TIME. THAT'S WHY I CAME. DON'T TELL ME THAT I WILL BE LEFT DEPENDING INSTEAD!
THIS CERTAINLY SEEMS LIKE AN UNFAVORABLE SITUATION. THAT MIGHT BE WHY GENERAL TOUTAKU SUMMONED RYOFU-SAMA.
IT'S BECOME QUITE NOISY OUTSIDE EVEN THOUGH I HAVEN'T SPOTTED A SINGLE FILTHY MAN YET!
PROTECTING GENERAL TOUTAKU IS ALSO AN IMPORTANT JOB.
RYOFU-SAMA...
WELL... IT'S FINE.
.....

I'LL GO OUT INTO THE BATTLEFIELD...
THERE MIGHT BE SOME KILLING AFTER ALL
RYOFU
AN ENEMY MAYBE, AN ALLY, EVERYONE...
AS LONG AS I AM ABLE TO STAY LIKE THIS WITH RYOFU-SAMA
I AM HAPPY.

Touch
RYOFU-SAMA.
HEHE...
SUCH A CUTE THING TO SAY, CHOUSEN-CHAN, WOULD YOU LIKE TO KILL SOME TIME TOGETHER...?
.....
LET'S ENJOY OUR-SELVES
...LET ME SEE THE SITUATION ON THE FRONT.
PLEASE GIVE ME A MOMENT.
FLOMP
CHOURYOU-CHAN?
Step
Step
Step
Step

Step
I've decided that I won't be lost for words anymore, but...
what will we do now?
HEY LOOK!
Whisper
WHY IS THAT JULIZA HERE...
LOOK AT THOSE FILTHY EARS...
Whisper
Whisper
UPSET
In the end... we're still thought of like this...
.....
Step
!
PARDON ME!
THUMP

AH!
EH...
WHAT'S THE MATTER?
NO
PLEASE DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT

This man... even though he saw me, he hasn't said anything...
UM...
AREN'T YOU DISGUSTED?
?
AAH. I AM TRULY SORRY FOR TOUCHING A WOMAN WITHOUT PERMISSION. PLEASE EXCUSE ME.
WH-WHY ARE YOU APOLOGIZING!?
O-OH...
MY MASTER HAS ALWAYS REPEATED
WOMEN ARE BEINGS THAT MEN CANNOT TOUCH SO FAMILIARLY.

OR MAYBE...
ARE YOU A MAN? IN THAT CASE, MY APOLOGY IS OUT OF PLACE...
N-NO! I'M A WOMAN!
I SEE. I'M GLAD, THEN.
Smile
IN THAT CASE PLEASE EXCUSE ME
WALK
The man from the spring and this one are nice... I suppose there are many different people among humans.
AH! I HAVE TO GET BACK SOON!
GASP

CHATTER
YOU MUST DEPART TO THE FRONT IMMEDIATELY, EACH OF YOU MUST KILL AT LEAST ONE YELLOW SCARF!
THERE IS A COMMAND FROM GENERAL TOUTAKU!
FLAP
SELF-IMPORTANT BASTARD...
Squeeze
.....
KAN'U.
IT'S ALRIGHT, RYUUBI. WE'LL BE BACK SOON, SO PLEASE TAKE CARE OF THIS PLACE, OK?
YES...

Flick
LISTEN, EVERYONE!
I WANT TO DEFEAT THE YELLOW SCARVES TO PROVE OUR TRIBE'S INNOCENCE
AND SO THAT THERE ARE NO MORE VICTIMS LIKE THAT VILLAGE'S CHILD
.....
BUT, I DON'T WANT TO KILL ANYONE RECKLESSLY...!
CLENCH
THAT'S WHY, WE MUST AIM IMMEDIATELY FOR THE ENEMY'S LEADER!

REALLY..!?
THE OBJECTIVE IS THE LEADER OF THE YELLOW SCARVES, CHOUKAKU!!
YOU DON'T SAY
HEH! LET'S DO IT!
LET'S GO, EVERYONE!
SFX: FLING
OOH!!!

SOU-SOU'S ARMY EN-CAMP-MENT.
Stand
I'VE COME TO REPORT!
THE JUUZA ARMY HAS DEPARTED!
SO THE GAME HAS FINALLY STARTED... SHOW ME THE POWER YOU POSSESS
Damnit Even without the Juuza's power
(Mumbles)
LET'S GO! PREPARE THE HORSES!
...SIR!!

WHACK
HIYAAH!!
SWOOSH
HAH!!!
SFX: ROAAAAH
THAT'S
SENSEI! THERE'S A FORCE ATTACKING WITH INCREDIBLE POWER!!

WHERE'S CHOUKAKU!!
!
JUUZA BASTARDS! DON'T GET COCKY!
CHOUHI, HE'S COMING!
WHOOSH
YAH!

Lined up
!!
OOHOO! THEY'RE HERE!
BY THE WAY, DO YOU THINK CHOUKAKU IS SOMEWHERE AMONG THESE GUYS?
Clench
DON'T SPEAK OF THE GREAT TEACHER WITH THAT LOWLY JUUZA MOUTH OF YOURS!!
REALLY? WELL, YOU'RE WRONG ABOUT THAT!
WE'LL KILL YOU!
Ah!
HI-YAAAAH!!
GAAAH !!
SFX SWISH

Dash
FALL OUT! CHOUHI!
THUD
ANEKI, IT'S GOOD TO DO YOUR BEST, BUT
THUNK
IT'S ALRIGHT IF YOU RELY ON ME ONCE IN AWHILE!
HUH?
I CAN'T HEAR YOU AT ALL!

SFX RUSTLE RUSTLE
PAANT
PANT
PAANT
PAANT
PANT...

...THIS PLACE FEELS ABANDONED...
RUSTLE
AAH
!?
SFX SNAP
WHO'S THERE!?
THAT'S A FOOLISH QUESTION.
YOU WERE LOOKING FOR ME
YOU ARE . CHOUKAKU!
SO MY BRETHREN ARE ON THE SIDE OF HUMANS...
BUT THAT MIGHT ALSO BE FATE FROM THE POWER THAT THE HEAVENS HAVE BESTOWED UPON ME

DON'T YOU THINK SO?
WE ARE CHILDREN OF THE SAME FAMILY.
.....
SAME FAMILY...?
WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?
YOU STILL DON'T UNDERSTAND...? WE ARE THE SAME...
Slip

Y-
YOU'RE!!
THAT'S RIGHT... I'M OF THE CAT TRIBE.
WHAT...
!!!

RE-
REALLY...
YOU'RE... FROM THE CAT TRIBE...!?
I HAVE GAINED INFLUENCE BY SIMPLY DECEIVING THE HUMANS
BECAUSE OF THOSE FOOLISH HUMANS CONTROLLING THE COUNTRY, I'VE HAD TO HIDE THE PRIDE THAT ARE MY EARS IN ORDER TO LIVE HERE.
AND YOU, WHY ARE YOU SUPPORTING HUMANS?

WE SIMPLY DON'T LIKE THE YELLOW SCARVES THAT ARE CAUSING THE WEAK TO SUFFER!!
FOR THAT, I CAN'T HELP BUT APOLOGIZE
HUMANS ARE AFTER ALL, IGNORANT AND LOSE TO THE DESIRES ONCE THEY HAVE WHAT THEY WANT RIGHT IN FRONT OF THEM
THAT'S SO IRRESPONSIBLE!!
AFTER ALL HE...
WAS MURDERED BY YOUR YELLOW SCARVES!
?
BUT I HAVEN'T HEARD ANY REPORT OF KILLING OUR BRETHREN...

DID YOU SAY... RYUUBI?
YOU DON'T MEAN THE DESCENDANT OF THE RYUU HOUSE THAT FOUNDED THE CAT TRIBE!?
HE WASN'T OF THE CAT TRIBE!
HE WAS HUMAN... BUT HE WAS RYUUBI'S PRECIOUS FRIEND!
.....
WHAT DID YOU SAY...?
FOR SOMEONE IN WHOSE VEINS FLOWS THE BLOOD OF THE RYUU HOUSE TO BEFRIEND HUMANS THAT'S AN ALARMING REPORT.

SO THIS RYUUBI BOY IS NOT WORTHY OF PROTECTING THE CLAN
!?
DON'T YOU DARE SPEAK ILL OF RYUUBI!
YOU HAVE NO RIGHT TO SPEAK OF HIM IN THIS MANNER!
.....
!?
I SEE ... SO THAT'S HOW IT IS?
GIRL! YOU'RE NOT QUALIFIED TO PROTECT THE BLOOD OF THE RYUU HOUSE
JOLT
!!!

ONE WILL BE ABLE TO UNDERSTAND AFTER SIMPLY LOOKING AT YOUR EYES
THE EYES OF THOSE FROM THE CAT TRIBE ARE GOLDEN
YOU ARE NOT FULLY OF OUR TRIBE. THOSE BLACK EYES ARE DEFINITE PROOF...
YOU CAN'T UNDERSTAND WITH THOSE BLACK EYES OF YOURS! THE WORTH OF THE NOBLE BLOOD INHERITED FROM THE RYUU HOUSE!!
EVEN THOUGH YOU KNOW NOTHING ABOUT ANEKI!
YOU BASTARD!

THOSE VILE HUMANS CANNOT MAKE A TRUE PARADISE!
INSTEAD, THE CAT TRIBE SHOULD RULE THIS COUNTRY!
The leader of the Yellow Scarves is of the cat tribe...!
BLACK-EYED GIRL...!
YOUR WAY OF DOING IT IS WRONG...!
THE CAT TRIBE ARE OF NOBILITY, WE ARE A RACE WHICH STANDS ABOVE THE HUMANS!!

THE TIME HAS COME! THE TIME WHEN I CAN LIVE WITHOUT HAVING TO HIDE MY EARS!
THE ERA OF THE BLUE SKY HAS ALREADY PASSED. IT'S NEARLY TIME TO STAND UNDER THE YELLOW SKY! IT WILL BE THE TIME OF PROSPERITY!!

!!
!!
...KH!
SFX: STAB
GHAA....!
Drip
!!!
Drip

SFX: SWOOSH
.....
SOUSOU!
I-
IT'S
WHY DIDN'T YOU KILL HIM? HE'S THE LEADER OF THE YELLOW SCARVES
YOU DON'T KILL YOUR OWN SPECIES ..?

PEOPLE KILL PEOPLE BUT CATS CAN'T KILL CATS - IS THAT WHAT YOU'RE TRYING TO SAY?
HA!
RIDICULOUS SENTIMENTALITY
THE YELLOW SCARVES ARE A SIMPLE MOB. IF THEY LOSE THEIR LEADER, THEY COLLAPSE.
IF YOU WANT THE NATION TO SUFFER, YOU MIGHT AS WELL LET HIM LIVE
NO...
THAT'S NOT IT...
WE DON'T WANT IT, BUT

...
REMEMBER KAN'U
JUSTICE IS RESERVED FOR THE LIVING. THE DEAD NO LONGER HAVE THAT DUTY
AND YOU STILL HAVE A DUTY TO PERFORM TO LIVE AND BE THE FOUNDATION OF MY MILITARY RULE
Glare
YOU MUST BE KIDDING ME!
WHY DO WE HAVE TO SERVE YOU!
EVEN AFTER BATTLE, POWER IS AN ADVANTAGE. I WANT TO KEEP THAT POWER.
...DAMMIT!

SFX: FLING
YOU'VE FINISHED THIS QUICKER THAN I EXPECTED. IT LOOKS LIKE MY EYES WERE NOT WRONG.
HA...
HAA...
Clench
HAA...
...MY...!
DREAM...!
WILL NOT BE DE-STROYED HERE ...!!

SFX: CLANG
!!